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In re Application of:

Krishnan Chari, et al.

RANDOM ARRAY OF
MICROSPHERES

2nd RCE of U.S. Serial No. 09/942,241
filed 29 August 2001

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: Betty J. Forman

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice mailed December 6, 2004, Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the following corrective section of the Amendment originally submitted November 10, 2004.

Applicants include herewith a corrective **Amendments to the Claims**, wherein the text of non-entered claims 41 and 42 are included.

Applicants disagree that the text should be presented as the claims were never entered on the record, as evidenced in the Advisory Action mailed October 28, 2003. However, to further prosecution, the text of the non-entered claims is presented in full.

Continued examination of pending claims 1-24, 26-28, 30-34, 43-46, and 48-49 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application:

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